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Sri K. C. GOPALAN UNNI :—" In view of the fact that the second crop has completely failed in Malabar, will the Government come forward to supply paddy seeds to the ryots of Malabar at concessional rates? "

Mr. SPEAKER :—" This question is about insecticides and pesticides. The hon. Member may put a separate question. "

Grant of loans to agriculturists of Arni Jagir.

* 287 *Q.*—Sri V. K. KANNAN : Will the Hon. the Minister for Industries and Labour be pleased to state—

(*a*) whether any branch of the Madras Co-operative Land Mortgage Bank is functioning in Arni ; and

(*b*) whether they are advancing any loans to agriculturists, who are owning lands in the villages of Arni Jagir, and if not, why?

The Hon. Dr. U. KRISHNA RAO :—" (*a*) No, Sir. The Madras Co-operative Central Land Mortgage Bank has no branches of its own in any part of the State.

" (*b*) The following five villages of Arni Jagir are included in the area of operations of the Wallajah Co-operative Land Mortgage Bank, which is a Primary Bank affiliated to the Madras Co-operative Central Land Mortgage Bank :—

(1) Rantham.

(2) Kanigiluppai.

(3) Korathur.

(4) Vadakkumedu.

(5) Panayur.

The survey and settlement of the villages in the Jagir have not been done. Land Mortgage Banks do not sanction loans on the security of lands which are not surveyed and settled. The Wallajah Land Mortgage Bank has not therefore entertained loan applications from any of the five villages included in its juridiction and belonging to the Arni Jagir."

Expenditure incurred on the Parulekar Committee.

10-50 a.m. * 288 *Q.*—Sri A. GOVINDASWAMY NAYAGAR : Will the Hon. the Minister for Finance be pleased to state the total expenditure incurred by the Government on account of constitution and working of the Parulekar Committee?

The Hon. Sri C. SUBRAMANIAM :—" Rs. 2,744–8–0."

Sri A. GOVINDASWAMY NAYAGAR :—" பருலேகர் கமிட்டி எந்தெந்த ஜில்லாக்களில் சுற்றுப்பிரயாணம் செய்தார்களென்பதையும், சுற்றுப்பிரயாணத்திற்கான செலவு எவ்வளவு என்பதையும் கனம் மந்திரி அவர்கள் தெரிவிப்பார்களா ? "

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THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM :—" I do not have the figures separately. A separate question may be put."

SRI A. GOVINDASWAMY NAYAGAR :—" பருலேகர் கமிட்டியானது செங்கற்பட்டு ஜில்லாவில் சுற்றுப்பிரயாணம் செய்ததாகக் கேள்விப்பட்டேன். அதற்கான பிரயாணச்செலவு எவ்வளவு என்பதையாவது கனம் மந்திரி அவர்கள் சொல்ல முடியுமா ? "

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM :—" I have already answered that I do not have the figures separately."

MR. SPEAKER :—" The hon. Member may put a separate question."

SRI M. KALYANASUNDRAM :—" பருலேகர் கமிட்டியிலிருந்த அங்கத்தினர்களுக்கு **Honorarium** கொடுக்கப்பட்டதா ? அப்படி கொடுக்கப்பட்டிருந்தால், எவ்வளவு தொகை கொடுக்கப்பட்டது என்பதைக் கனம் மந்திரி அவர்கள் தெரிவிப்பார்களா ? "

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM :—" No honorarium was paid."

DR. K. B. MENON :—" What areas were toured by the Committee besides the City of Madras? "

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM :—" This question relates to the total expenditure, and I have got only that figure. If details had been asked, I would have given. Dr. Menon goes to another aspect of the subject."

SRI V. R. NAGARAJAN :—" Sir, பருலேகர் சென்று பார்த்த கிராமங்களில் அவர்கள் ஒன்றும் புரிந்துகொண்டிருக்க முடியாது என்று எங்களில் பலபேர் அபிப்பிராயப்படுகிறபடியால், அந்தக் கமிட்டிக்குச் செலவிடப்பட்ட மக்களுடைய பணமானது வீணுகப் போய்விட்டதாகாதா ? "

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM :—" I do not think so. But the hon. Member is entitled to his own opinion about it."

SRI R. V. SWAMINATHAN :—" I am very glad that the Government were very economical in spending only Rs. 2,000 on this Committee. Does this Rs. 2,000 include the cost of the printing of the report that has been issued? "

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM :—" No, Sir. This is the amount spent on the Members of the Committee."

SRI K. VINAYAKAM :—" Does this amount include any refreshments catered to these members, apart from the travelling allowance? "

MR. SPEAKER :—" Does the hon. Member mean D.A.? "

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM :—" This includes D.A. also."